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REQUEST FOR A CONTINUING APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Sir:

This is a request for filing a continuing application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) a
 continuation application of:
 divisional application of:

Pending Prior Application

Application No. 09/369,381 filed 08/05/1999

Title Methods of Documents Management and Automated Document Tracking, and a Document Management System

Name of applicant(s) Paul L Jeran

Terry P. Mahoney

Copy of Application

Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, including the drawings.
 Enclosed is a new specification, including new drawings.

Oath or Declaration

Enclosed is a copy of the prior Declaration (37 CFR 1.63(d)).
 Enclosed is a newly executed Declaration (original or copy).

Foreign Priority - 35 USC 119

Foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. 119 has been claimed in prior Application No. _____
filed on _____ in _____

The certified copy has been filed in prior Application No. _____
filed _____

A separate paper claiming direct priority to a foreign application is enclosed herewith. A certified copy of the foreign application will be provided in due course.

Relate Back - 35 USC 120

Amend the specification after the title by inserting the following heading:

--Cross Reference To Related Application(s)--;

and add the paragraph:

--This is a continuation divisional
of copending application number 09/369,381 filed on 08/05/1999
which is hereby incorporated by reference herein.

Inventorship Statement

- Delete the following named individuals as inventors in this application in accordance with 37 CFR 1.53(b) as a result of a change in the claimed subject matter:

Appointment of Associate Attorney

- Recognize as Associate Attorney or Agent _____

Registration No. _____

 authorization is hereby granted by signature below of the Attorney or Agent of record the Associate Attorney or Agent may not have the authority to appoint other Attorneys or AgentsCommunications

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Other Amendments

- (X) Before calculating the filing fee, amend the prior application as follows:

Cancel the following claims _____ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes).

- (X) Enter the enclosed Preliminary Amendment.

Fee Calculation

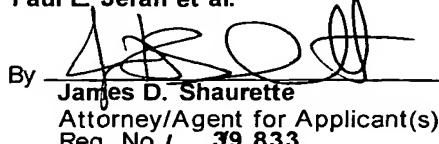
- (X) The filing fee is calculated below for (X) Utility Design

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(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) TOTALS
TOTAL CLAIMS	30 — 20	10	X \$18	\$ 180
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	5 — 3	2	X \$84	\$ 168
ANY MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS	0		\$280	\$ 0
BASIC FEE: Design (\$330.00); Utility (\$750.00)				\$ 750
TOTAL FILING FEE				\$ 1,098
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Respectfully submitted,

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